

## Course OT - Exo #2

Exo 1: Define for  $a \in \mathbb{R}_+^n$ ,  $b \in \mathbb{R}_+^m$ ,  $\lambda \in [0, \min(\langle a, 1 \rangle, \langle b, 1 \rangle)]$  the partial OT pb:

$$\min_{P \in \mathbb{R}_{++}^{n \times m}} \{ \langle C, P \rangle : P \mathbf{1} \leq a, P^\top \mathbf{1} \leq b, \langle P, \mathbf{1} \mathbf{1}^\top \rangle = \lambda \}$$

Compute the dual problem

Exo 2: We consider the following unbalanced OT pb:

$$(UOT) \min_{P \in \mathbb{R}_{++}^{n \times m}} \langle C, P \rangle + \tau KL(P \| a) + \tau KL(P^\top \| b) \triangleq f_\tau(P)$$

Compute the dual to this pb.

Exo 3: We consider the entropic regularized

$$\min_{P \in \mathbb{R}_{++}^{n \times m}} f_\tau(P) + \epsilon H(P) \triangleq f_\epsilon^\tau(P)$$

Compute the dual problem. Deduce "generalized Sinkhorn iteration" to minimize  $f_\epsilon^\tau$

Exo 4: One can show that for  $\tau \rightarrow 0$ ,

$$\min_P \frac{1}{\tau} f_\tau(P) \longrightarrow \min_{P \in \mathcal{Z}} KL(P \| a) + KL(P^\top \| b)$$

$$\mathcal{Z} \triangleq \operatorname{Argmin}_{P \geq 0} \langle P, C \rangle$$

Compute this value, when  $C = d$ , with  $d$  a distance

$$m = n$$

Exo 5: Consider Schrödinger problem:

$$\min \left\{ \int c(x,y) d\pi(x,y) + \varepsilon KL(\pi | \alpha \otimes \beta) : \begin{array}{l} \pi_1 = \alpha \\ \pi_2 = \beta \end{array} \right\}$$

Show that its solution is of the form:  $\frac{d\pi(x,y)}{dx \otimes \beta} = \underbrace{e^{\frac{c(x,y)}{\varepsilon}}}_{\triangleq K(x,y)} \cdot u(x) \cdot v(y)$

and that:

$$v(y) = \frac{1}{\int R(v(y)) u(x) dx(x)}, \quad u(y) = \frac{1}{\int R(x,y) v(y) d\beta(y)}$$
$$\triangleq S_\alpha(u)(y) \quad \triangleq S_\beta(v)(x)$$

Exo 6: Assume  $c(x,y) = |x-y|^2$  and that  $(\alpha, \beta)$  are gaussians. Show that if  $u(x) = \exp(-A|x-m|^2)$  for some  $A$  and  $m$ , then  $S_\beta(u)$  is of the same form.

Hint: use that convol<sup>o</sup> of gaussians is gaussians.

Deduce that the sol<sup>o</sup> of Schrödinger problem  $\pi$  is a Gaussian.

Exo 7: If  $c(x,y) = -\langle x,y \rangle$  show that sinkhorn iterations in log domain:

$$f(y) \leftarrow -\varepsilon \log \int \exp \left( \frac{-c(x,y) + g(s)}{\varepsilon} \right) d\beta(y)$$

$$g(y) \leftarrow -\varepsilon \log \int \exp \left( \frac{c(x,y) + f(x)}{\varepsilon} \right) d\alpha(x).$$

Defines concave functions.

Exo 8: Show that during those iteration we always have

$$f(x) + g(y) \leq c(x, y)$$

- Deduce a lower bound on the OT cost during the iterations
- Explain why the Sinkhorn iteration can be stabilized as:

$$f(x) \leftarrow -\varepsilon \log \int \exp\left(\frac{c(r, y) + f(x) + g(y)}{\varepsilon}\right) d\beta(y) - f(x)$$

Correct: this is a linear prog.

The coupling  $P \in \frac{a \otimes b}{\|a\|_1 \|b\|_1}$  to satisfy the constraints

$\rightsquigarrow$  One can exchange  $wf/cap = sup/wf$

$$\sup_{P \geq 0} \left\{ \langle C, P \rangle : a - P \mathbf{1} \geq 0, \underset{f \in \mathbb{R}_+^m}{b - P^\top f \geq 0}, \langle P, 1 1^\top \rangle = \lambda \right\}$$

$$\sup_{P \geq 0} \sup_{f \leq 0, g \leq 0} \langle C, P \rangle + \langle a - P \mathbf{1}, f \rangle + \langle b - P^\top f, g \rangle + (\langle P, 1 \rangle + \lambda) s$$

$$\sup_{f \leq 0, g \leq 0, s} (\langle a, f \rangle + \langle b, g \rangle + \lambda s) + \sup_{P \geq 0} \langle P, C - f \otimes g - s \rangle$$

$$\sup_{f, g, s} \left\{ \langle a, f \rangle, \langle b, g \rangle, \lambda s : \begin{array}{l} f \leq 0 \\ g \leq 0 \\ f \otimes g + s \leq C \end{array} \right\}$$

Exo 2: Write  $\text{KL}(u|a) = \sup_f \langle f, u \rangle - \text{KL}^*(f|a)$

$$\text{where } \text{KL}^*(f|a) = \sup_u \langle f, u \rangle - \text{KL}(u|a)$$

optimality in  $\otimes$ :  $f - \log(u/a) = 0 \Rightarrow u = a e^{f-a}$

$$\rightsquigarrow \text{KL}^*(f|a) = \langle f, u \rangle - \left\langle u, \log\left(\frac{u}{a}\right) - 1 \right\rangle = \langle f, u \rangle - \langle u, f - 1 \rangle - \langle a, 1 \rangle$$

$$= \langle u, 1 \rangle - \langle a, 1 \rangle = \langle a, e^f - 1 \rangle = \sum_i a_i (e^{f_i} - 1)$$

$$\inf_{P \gg 0} \langle C, P \rangle = -\tau KL(P \mid \mid a) + -\tau KL(P^\top \mid \mid b)$$

$$= \inf_{P \gg 0} \sup_{f, g} \langle C, P \rangle + \tau \left( \langle P_1, f \rangle + \langle P_1^\top, g \rangle - KL(f \mid \mid a) - KL(g \mid \mid b) \right)$$

$$= \sup_{f, g} -\tau KL^*(f \mid \mid a) - \tau KL^*(g \mid \mid b) + \inf_{P \gg 0} \langle C + \tau f \otimes g, P \rangle$$

$$= \sup \left\{ -\tau \left( \sum_i a_i (e^{f_i} - 1) + \sum_j b_j (e^{g_j} - 1) : C + \tau f \otimes g \geq 0 \right) \right\} \xrightarrow{\text{if } f \rightarrow -f}$$

$$= \sup_{f, g} \left\{ \underbrace{\sum_i a_i \tau (1 - e^{-f_i})}_{\substack{T \rightarrow +\infty \\ \sim f_i}} + \underbrace{\sum_j b_j \tau (1 - e^{-g_j})}_{\sim g_j} : f \otimes g \leq C \right\}$$

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Exo 3: Same compat ...

$$\sup_{f, g} \tau \langle a, 1 - e^{-f} \rangle + \tau \langle b, e^{-g} \rangle + \varepsilon \sum_{ij} \exp \left( \frac{c_{ij} + f_i + g_j}{\varepsilon} \right)$$

Cor Exo 4:  $\min_{P \in \mathbb{Z}} KL(P \mid \mid a) + KL(P^\top \mid \mid b)$   $\circledast$

$$\mathcal{Z} \triangleq \operatorname{Argmin}_{P \gg 0} \langle P, d^P \rangle = \{P = \operatorname{diag}(q) : q \in \mathbb{R}_{++}^M\}$$

$\textcircled{*}$   $\min_{q \in \mathbb{R}_{++}^M} KL(q \mid \mid a) + KL(q \mid \mid b) = E(q)$

At optimality:  $\log(q/a) + \log(q/b) = 0 \Leftrightarrow q = \sqrt{ab}$

$$E(q) = \sum_i \underbrace{q_i \log\left(\frac{q_i}{a_i}\right)}_{=0} + q_i \log\left(\frac{q_i}{b_i}\right) + a_i - q_i + b_i - q_i$$

$$\sum_i a_i + b_i - 2\sqrt{a_i b_i} = \sum_i (\sqrt{a_i} - \sqrt{b_i})^2 = \| \sqrt{a} - \sqrt{b} \|_2^2$$

(squared Hellinger distance)

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Exo 5:  $\inf_{\pi \in \mathcal{P}} \int c d\pi + \varepsilon KL(\pi || \alpha \otimes \beta)$  let's compute the dual:

$$= \sup_{\pi_1 > 0, \pi_2 < 0} \int c d\pi + \varepsilon KL(\pi || \alpha \otimes \beta) + \langle \alpha - \pi_1, f \rangle + \langle \beta - \pi_2, g \rangle$$

$$= \sup_{f, g} \int f d\alpha + \int g d\beta + \inf_{\pi} \underbrace{\langle \pi, C - f \otimes g \rangle}_{\geq 0} + \varepsilon KL(\pi || \alpha \otimes \beta) + L(\pi)$$

$$\textcircled{A} = -\varepsilon \underset{\sum}{KL^*}(C - f \otimes g || \alpha \otimes \beta)$$

$$\text{Lem: } KL^*(H || \alpha \otimes \beta) = \int (e^{H(x,y)} - 1) d\alpha \otimes \beta(x,y)$$

(see exo 2 indiscrete)

$$= \sup_{f, g} \int f d\alpha + \int g d\beta - \varepsilon \int \exp\left(\frac{C(x,y) + f(x) + g(y)}{\varepsilon}\right) d\alpha(x) d\beta(y) + \varepsilon$$

Primal/Dual Rel<sub>-</sub>:  $\partial f(x) = 0$  in A

$$C - \log \varepsilon + \varepsilon \log \left( \frac{\partial f(x)}{\partial x} \right) = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial f(x)}{\partial x} = \exp \left( \frac{C + \log \varepsilon}{\varepsilon} \right)$$

i.e.  $\frac{\partial f(x,y)}{\partial x} = a(x)v(y)k(x,y)$  with

$$\begin{cases} a(x) = \exp(f(x)/\varepsilon) \\ v(y) = \exp(g(y)/\varepsilon) \\ k = \exp(-C/\varepsilon) \end{cases}$$

Sinkhorn Algo: alternate optim<sub>-</sub> // f then g.

$$\partial f(x) = 0 \text{ imply: } "x - \int \exp \left( \frac{f(x,y) + g(y)}{\varepsilon} \right) d\beta(y) \alpha(x) = 0"$$

i.e.  $\underbrace{\exp(f(x))}_{\alpha(x)} \cdot \int \exp \left( \frac{g(y) - c(x,y)}{\varepsilon} \right) d\beta(y) = 1$

$$\alpha(x) = \frac{1}{K_B}$$

$$K_B(\nu) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \int k(x,y) \nu(y) d\beta(y)$$

log-sum-exp format:

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= -\varepsilon \log \int \exp \left( \frac{-c(x,y) + g(y)}{\varepsilon} \right) d\beta(y) \\ &= \min_{\varepsilon} \exp(c(x,y) - g(y)) \text{ soft min} \end{aligned}$$

$$\min_{\varepsilon} \beta(h) = -\varepsilon \log \int \exp \left( h(y)/\varepsilon \right) d\beta(y)$$

$$g(y) = \min_{\varepsilon} \alpha(c(x,y) - f(x))$$

$$\min_{\varepsilon} \xrightarrow{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \min$$

Similarly

$$\text{Stabilisat}_- : m_{\varepsilon}^{\alpha}(h) = \min_{\varepsilon} (h - \min_{\varepsilon}(h)) + \min_{\varepsilon}(h)$$

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Exo 6: wlog one can assume means are 0

$$G(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp\left(-\frac{|x|^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)$$

$$\frac{dx}{d\alpha} = G_{\sigma_x}$$

$$\frac{d\beta}{d\alpha} = G_{\sigma_\beta}$$

$$k(x, y) \propto G(x-y)$$

$$\epsilon \rightarrow 2\epsilon^2$$

$$S_\alpha(u) = \left[ \int k(x, y) u(x) d\alpha(x) \right] \propto \left[ G_\epsilon * (G_{\sigma_u} \odot G_{\sigma_x}) \right]^{-1}$$

$\uparrow = G_{\sigma_u}$

$$\text{lem: } G_s \odot G_t \propto G_r \quad \frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{t} = \frac{1}{r}$$

$$G_s * G_t = G_r \quad r = \sqrt{s^2 + t^2}$$

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$$1/G_s \propto G_{-s}$$

$$\Rightarrow S_\alpha(G_s) = G_t \text{ with } t = -\left[\sqrt{\epsilon^2 + \left(\frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{\sigma_x}\right)^2}\right]$$

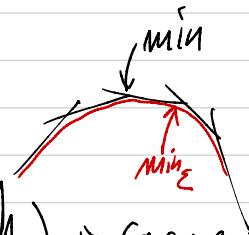
$\Rightarrow$  solve for  $s = t \dots$

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$$\underline{\text{Exo 7}}: f = \min_{\epsilon} \mathbb{E}(\langle y, \cdot \rangle - g(y))$$

Lemma: if  $h_y$  are concave,  $\min_{\epsilon} \mathbb{E}(h_y)$  is concave

Proof: see example 3.14 in Boyd's Book



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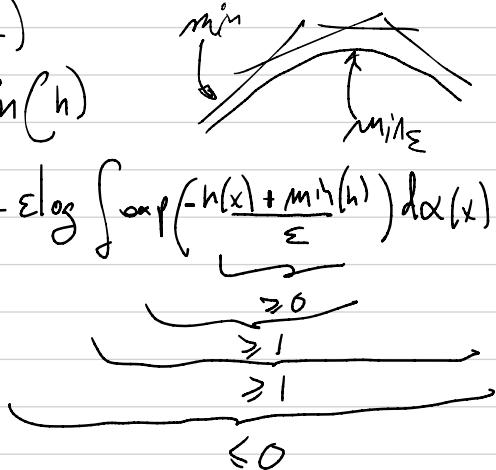
Ex 8: one has

This is not correct

$$f(x) = \min_{\Sigma}^{\beta}(c(x, \cdot) - g)$$

$$\text{Lem: } \min_{\Sigma}^{\beta}(h) \leq \min(h)$$

$$\text{Proof: } \min_{\Sigma}(h) - \min(h) = -\varepsilon \log \int \exp\left(\frac{-h(x) + m}{\varepsilon}\right) d\alpha(x)$$



$$\Rightarrow f(x) \leq c(x, y) - g(y) \quad \forall y$$

• This imply that  $(f, g)$  is dual feasible, hence

$$\text{OT}(\alpha, \beta) \geq \int f d\alpha + \int g d\beta$$

• If  $f$  is an iterate of Sinkhorn,  $f \oplus g \leq c$   
and thus

$$g(y) \leftarrow \min_{\Sigma}(c(\cdot, y) - f) \quad \leftarrow \text{unstable}$$

$$= \min_{\Sigma} \underbrace{(c(\cdot, y) - f - g(y))}_{> 0} + g(y) \quad \text{stable}$$